

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff

v.

TROPICAL FRUIT, S.E.; AVSHALOM  
LUBIN; CESAR OTERO ACEVEDO; and  
PEDRO TOLEDO GONZALEZ

Defendants

Civil Action No. 97-1442-DRD

**MOTION REQUESTING LEAVE TO REPLY PLAINTIFF'S  
OPPOSITION TO MOTION REQUESTING ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO RESPOND TO MOTION FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE  
AND REPLY TENDERED HEREWITH**

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

COME NOW defendants, represented by the undersigned counsel, and very respectfully allege and pray as follows:

1. On April 13, 2005 plaintiff opposed defendants' request for an additional extension of time until May 6, 2005 to comply with the Court's order to show cause. (Docket No. 103)

2. Defendants respectfully request leave to file the Reply tendered herewith.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested from this Honorable Court that it grant defendants leave to reply plaintiff's opposition and allow the filing of the Reply tendered herewith.

Respectfully submitted.

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2005.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on April 27, 2005, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the following: Mr. Henry Friedman, Esq., Environmental Enforcement Section, U. S. Department of Justice, PO Box 7611, Washington, D. C. 20044; Isabel Muñoz, Assistant United States Attorney, Federal Building, Room 452 Chardon Avenue, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico 00918.

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